

Defined terms: "Boxing" § 4-101
"Commission" § 4-101
"Contest" § 4-101

4-315. BOXING CONTESTS.

(A) BOXER TO BE PHYSICALLY FIT.

A BOXER SHALL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER THE RING ONLY IF A PHYSICIAN APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION DECLARES THE BOXER TO BE PHYSICALLY FIT.

(B) URINE TEST REQUIRED.

EACH BOXER IN A BOXING CONTEST SHALL SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST OF THE URINE OF THE BOXER TO DETECT THE PRESENCE OF A CONTROLLED DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE DEFINED UNDER ARTICLE 27, § 277 OF THE CODE OR OTHER SUBSTANCE THAT THE COMMISSION PROHIBITS BY REGULATION.

(C) WEIGHT OF GLOVES.

EACH BOXER IN A BOXING CONTEST SHALL WEAR GLOVES THAT WEIGH AT LEAST 5 OUNCES.

(D) NUMBER OF ROUNDS.

THE COMMISSION SHALL SET THE LENGTH IN ROUNDS OF EACH BOXING CONTEST.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, §§ 122(a) and (b) and 126(a) and (b)(1).

In subsection (b) of this section, the words "other substance that the Commission prohibits by regulation" are added to conform to the practice of the Commission.

The Business Regulation Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that in subsection (a) of this section the reference to a physician "approved by the Commission" is substituted for the former reference to a "competent" physician because the Commission considers a physician that it approves to be a competent physician.

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